

REMARKS

The claims in this case were provisionally rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101, double patenting. Applicant includes herewith a terminal disclaimer to obviate this objection.

Applicant has provided a reference to the copending Application No. 09/596,004, now U.S. Patent No. 6,426,482, at the beginning of the specification.

Applicant submits herewith a fee for filing a terminal disclaimer. However, if any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 21-0800.

Respectfully submitted,

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